## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Kenneth C. Oesterle

Application No.: 09/991,404

Group No.: 3713

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Examiner: Kathleen M. Christman

For: "Method and Apparatus for Learning Word Pronunciation and Spelling Using a

Typeable Phonetic Alphabet"

Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. section 1.136(a))

- 1. This is a petition for an extension of the time for a total period of THREE months to file a Response to the Office Action mailed 02/10/2004. The time provided by this Extension expires on 08/10/2004.
- 2. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested is attached.
- 3. Applicant is a Small Entity

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4. Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. section 1.17(a)(1)-(5)):

Extension:

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3 Months of Extension

\$950.00

\$475.00

Fee \$475.00

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

5. Fee Payment

Please find enclosed a check # 7107 in the amount of \$475.00 for a three month extension of time.

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## **CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.8**

I hereby certify that the foregoing Petition for a three Month Extension of Time for Patent Application 09/991,404 is being deposited with the United States Postal Service in an envelope as First Class Mail addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on this 10th day of August 2004.

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